May 12, '99

Commissioner Jane Henney 5600 Fishers Lane Rm.14-71 Rockville, MD 20857

RE: A ban on antibiotics in animal feed.

Dear Commissioner,

This subject came up at a dinner gathering and the concensus was to ban the use of antibiotics in animal feed. Advances in science are usually welcomed but not always.

In this case, the concern is that bacteria will become immune to antibiotics. To become infected by one of those resistant bacteria would be detrimental as the antibiotic prescribed could be useless.

Let's not get carried away with science!

Please ban the use of antibiotics in animal feed.

Sincerely,

Philip Gaenon









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